Mark A. Peska 9-21-2015

Mark A. Peska, 48 of Marengo, died Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2015, following a sudden illness.

Funeral mass was held Monday, Sept. 21, at St. Patrick’s Catholic Church, Marengo, with Fr. Joseph Roost officiating. Burial will be in the Marengo Cemetery. A general memorial fund has been established.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.klosterfuneralhome.com.

Mark Albert Peska was born Oct. 7, 1966, in Marengo, the son of Delbert and Cynthia Albert Peska. He attended the Iowa Valley of Marengo schools and later received his GED from Kirkwood.

Mark was owner and operator of Peska Salvage, Marengo. He spent most of his time working on cars for both business and pleasure. He frequented swap meets and flea markets. He collected die cast cars and enjoyed constructing model cars as well as helping with demo derby cars. He especially liked to spend his free time exploring Iowa with his family.

Mark is survived by his wife Marina Peska of Moscow, Russia; his son Marcus of Cabot, Ark.; one granddaughter; his mother Cynthia Peska of Marengo; a brother Mike of Marengo; many nieces and nephews; and his ex-wife and lifelong friend Dawn Erger Peska of Cedar Rapids.

Mark was preceded in death by his father Delbert and two daughters, Jillian and Justine.